

## ABSTRACT

To provide a high-response and wide-viewing-angle liquid crystal panel capable of causing a transition of liquid crystal, which is called the OCB mode, into a bend configuration in a short time, there is provided a period in which a potential difference higher than that in a normal image display period is continuously applied between gate lines and opposing electrodes or between pixel electrodes and the opposing electrodes of the liquid crystal panel.

Also, ingenuities are exercised on the period in which the potential difference is continuously applied between them and on the structure of picture elements.

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